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## P R E S S   R E L E A S E

### **Consul General of the State of Israel to Visit New Bedford**

**New Bedford, Massachusetts-** This week, the community will welcome the Consul General of the State of Israel, Nadav Tamir to the city of New Bedford. The city will celebrate his visit with a flag raising ceremony on Thursday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at 5:00 PM at New Bedford City Hall.

Later that evening, Consul General Tamir is scheduled to address the New Bedford area community at Tifereth Israel Synagogue. He is scheduled to speak at 7:30 PM. The public is welcome to attend.

Barbara Samuels, President of Tifereth Israel said of Tamir's visit, "We are thrilled and honored to have Consul General Tamir visit our community. The SouthCoast can take pride in this remarkable event."

The Consulate is the official representative of the State of Israel to the New England area. The Consulate represents the academic, cultural, economic, diplomatic, and political spheres of Israel, introducing them to audiences through lectures, performances, and other programs and materials.

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